By WOOLSON.]

SENATE FILE No. 166.—JUDICIARY.

## A BILL

FOR AN ACT TO REPEAL SECTION 3641 OF THE CODE, IN RELATION TO EVIDENCE AND ENACT A SUBSTITUTE THEREFOR.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- Section 1. That section three thousand six hundred and forty-one (3641) of the Code be
- 2 and the same is hereby repealed, and in lieu thereof the following is enacted as a substi-
- 3 tute:
- 4 Sec. 3641. Neither the husband nor wife shall in any case be a witness against each
- 5 other except in a criminal prosecution for a crime committed one against the other, or
- 6 in a civil action or proceeding one against the other, for where in any action the cause
- 7 thereof is based upon or has relation to a wrong or injury committed one against the
- 8 other; but they may in all civil and criminal causes be witnesses for each other.